GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:917
ANSWERED ON:09.03.2005
AKOLA BY PASS ON N.H. - 6
Dhotre Shri Sanjay Shamrao

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

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(a) whether Akola (Maharashtra) by pass on National Highway No. 6 was included in the Annual Plan of 2003-04;

(b) if so, whether it was also included in the Annual Plan of 2004-05;

(c) whether the work has been sanctioned;

(d) if not, the time by when the work is likely to be sanctioned; and

(e) the time frame in which work is likely to start and the target fixed for its completion?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) & (e) The proposal for construction of Akola bypass is required to be approved by the Expenditure Finance Committee (EFC) as a pre-requisite before the sanction of the estimate. EFC meeting has not yet been held. It is, therefore, premature to indicate likely date of sanction, dates of start and completion of the work.